

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Takayasu TANIGUCHI et al.**

Art Unit: **3761**

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Examiner: **Melanie Jo Hand**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2009, and having a response due date set for March 28, 2010. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

A concurrently filed three-month Petition for Extension of Time extends the period of response to end on June 28, 2010.

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